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without making a "fad" of the subject or destroying our system of manufacturing and business which is envied by every country on earth. By insisting that our education give at least equal time to the positive aspects of our country, instead of overlooking much of it because "patriotism is bunk." I think that every generation of young people has to be told about our country, educated in its meaning. Today we seem to think that we'll just "pick it up" naturally. This isn't always so.

We can make our country better by feeling—and showing—our pride in it. We have to think and act in a positive way instead of a negative one. This is a job where leadership has to come from the attitudes of our politicians, our teachers, our religions, but in which each one of us has an important role to play too.

We have an awful lot to be thankful for and proud of. If we work to make things better, they will become better. They will never be accomplished by people who sit on the sidelines and offer nothing but criticism. If we don't bother to do what we are capable of as individuals, and let people who think only in terms of tearing down have their way, and let them dominate public media, their gloomy predictions will come true.

You don't have to use propaganda to glorify a country which has always been a goal for a lot of little people all over the world. We do have to take stock of what we have, though, and to tell others—especially our own children—about it, so that they will understand and appreciate it and work themselves to make it better.

But in the end, it is not just words and ideas that are going to make it that way. It is the private actions of each one of us, because we're not just a people, or a nationality; we're 200,000,000 Americans—each one an individual, and each one free to add to or detract from this country of ours.

CBS, CFR AND THE PEOPLE'S RIGHT TO KNOW

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Mr. RARICK. Mr. Speaker, we will be voting shortly on a resolution to find CBS in contempt of Congress.

The CBS propagandists are wrapping themselves in the Constitution and chanting, "The right of the people to know must not be jeopardized."

Every Member of this body agrees that it is the right of the people to know what is at issue. But, has the CBS conglomerate been telling the people the facts or simply what CBS wants them to know? It has been CBS that has been the censor—not this body. The CBS "Selling of the Pentagon" was in turn followed by a second lateral assault called the Pentagon papers incident. Both Pentagon attacks must be considered as concerted efforts by the influential opinion molding monopoly to degrade our military forces under the guise of hastening an early Vietnam surrender date.

But the CBS people, who would have us believe they want to tell the American people the truth of what is going on involving imaginary financial and control conspiracies, have not told the American people about a very real conspiracy—which is to transfer the defeat of our

foreign policy in Vietnam from the responsible parties and make the military forces, who have had no voice in the planning of the no-win policy nor little control over the operations, the scapegoat. Pressure from the top and bottom now becomes lateral pressure from both sides.

I hold a copy of the so-called Pentagon papers booklet, which has been printed for profit by the New York Times.

Commencing at page 630 are contained the biographies of key figures in the Vietnam study. Eight of the 14 named Americans involved in the secret history are members of a financial-economic-industrial group known as the Council on Foreign Relations. The Pentagon, except for having an image of being the command post of our military, is not even involved. Why then does not CBS, which wants the American people to know what is going on, tell them all about the Council on Foreign Relations and its role in the United Nations and the Vietnam war?

Why does not CBS tell the American people that Mr. Sulzberger, president and publisher of the New York Times, the late Mr. Graham, former chairman of the board of the Washington Post, as well as its board chairman Frederick S. Beebe are listed in the Council on Foreign Relations membership list?

Why do not CBS's interpretive analysts tell our people that their president, Frank Stanton, is listed as a member of the CFR as well as former chairman of the Rand Corp., or that Daniel Ellsberg, admitted thief of the stolen top secret Pentagon papers, is a member of CFR?

What is it about the CFR that the CBS refuses to tell the people?

Could it be that every U.S. Ambassador to the Paris peace talks, David K. E. Bruce, Henry Cabot Lodge, and Averell W. Harriman, are all listed as members of the CFR?

Could it be that the Presidential advisers Henry A. Kissinger, Walt W. Rostow, and McGeorge Bundy are listed as members of the CFR?

Could it be that the U.S. Ambassadors to Saigon, Frederick Reinhardt, Henry Cabot Lodge, Maxwell Taylor, and Ellsworth Bunker are all listed as members of the CFR?

Could it be that the Directors of the CIA, Allen Dulles, John J. McCloy, and John A. McCone are all listed as members of the CFR?

Or could it be that the military leaders who were entrusted with the lives of our men and with the honor of our country, Gen. William C. Westmoreland, Gen. Harold K. Johnson, Gen. Lyman L. Lemnitzer, Fleet Adm. Chester W. Nimitz, and Air Force Gen. Carl A. Spaatz are all listed as members of the CFR?

Could it be that Stanley Resor, Secretary of the Army; former Secretaries of State Dean Rusk and Dean Acheson; former Secretaries of Defense Thomas S. Gates and Robert Strange McNamara are listed as members of the CFR?

Could it be that CBS and many of its other opinion-making friends do not want to tell the American people that Mr. Arthur Ochs Sulzberger, president and publisher of the New York Times; Mr. Frederick S. Beebe, chairman of the board of the Washington Post; Mr. Os-

borne Elliott, president of Newsweek; Walter Lippmann, syndicated news columnist and editor of the New Republic magazine; Mr. Bill D. Moyers of Newsday; and Brig. Gen. David Sarnoff are all listed as members of the CFR?

Certainly CBS, in addition to knowing its president, Frank Stanton, is a member of the CFR, must fully understand the complete scope of this intellectual-financial-industrial complex, in fact, in December of 1965, the CBS Foundation made a \$300,000 grant to the CFR to fund a fellowship reportedly to "a promising American foreign correspondent" for "study and reflection."

And how do we know who are members of the CFR? From the CFR annual report, which is supplied voluntarily to each Member of Congress and each Senator. There are reportedly but 1,451 members. Yet this small group of Americans includes men in positions of control or influence in every military, financial, and diplomatic decision from the start of our involvement in Vietnam to the present.

I do not want to create any impression that there are any secret or mysterious associations. But when the policies and activities of the CFR are against the best interests of the American people and constitutional government, then they, like all other decisionmakers, must bear their share of the responsibility for the thousands of American boys who have been killed and the waste of billions of taxpayers' dollars that have been poured into this international economic venture.

It was not the average American citizen nor the U.S. fighting man who wanted this war in the first place or who have wanted it to continue. If CBS and Mr. Stanton want to lift their self-imposed censorship so that the American people know the truth, then this matter would not be before Congress in this instance.

"The Selling of the Pentagon" and the Pentagon papers have not scratched the surface of the kingmakers and new ruling royalty. Who will tell the people the truth if those who control "the right to know machinery" also control the Government?

I insert a clipping from the December 30, 1965, New York Times:

EDWARD R. MURROW FUND FOR FELLOWSHIPS
SET UP

John J. McCloy, chairman of the Council on Foreign Relations, announced yesterday the establishment of an Edward R. Murrow Fellowship for American Foreign Correspondents.

William S. Paley, chairman of the Columbia Broadcasting Company, joined Mr. McCloy in making the announcement. The C.B.S. Foundation has given \$300,000 to pay for the fellowship program.

A spokesman for C.B.S. said one fellowship would be awarded each year to "a promising American foreign correspondent" for "study and reflection." A committee composed largely of men connected with the council will make the selection. C.B.S. will also be represented on the committee. The stipend is expected to be about \$10,000 in most cases.

I particularly call the attention of my colleagues to my remarks "CFR: For Whom We Serve," page E11137, CONGRESSIONAL RECORD of December 29, 1969,